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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: Unknown
SHINJI UCHIYAMA, ET AL.)
: Group Art Unit: 2857
Appln. No.: 09/818,602)
: Filed: March 28, 2001)
: For: POSITION AND ORIENTATION) July 3, 2001
: DETERMINING METHOD AND)
: APPARATUS AND STORAGE)
: MEDIUM)

The Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicants hereby claim priority under the International Convention and all rights to which they are entitled under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following Japanese

Priority Applications:

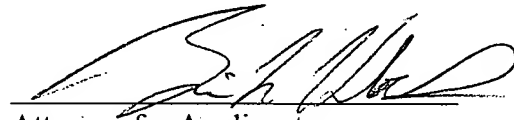
2001-045536, filed February 21, 2001; and

2000-364230, filed November 30, 2000.

A certified copy of each of the priority documents is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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